## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 638 By Springer

A RESOLUTION to honor Penny Martin, 1998 Valedictorian of Lawrence County High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly should honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Penny Martin is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as valedictorian of the 1998 graduating class at Lawrence County High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Ms. Martin has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Ms. Martin has earned an exceptional 4.1905 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Penny's awards and honors are as equally impressive as her scholastic talents; she is the recipient of the Bausch & Lomb Science Award, a member of the Beta Club, the Interact Club, Peer Mediator Club, 100 Club, and Foreign Language Club; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Martin's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Penny's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, school, and community; and

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WHEREAS, Ms. Martin's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 1998 Lawrence County High School
Valedictorian, Penny Martin, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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